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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Pasika et al.) Group Art Unit: 1631
Serial No.: 09/724,910) Examiner: Mahatan, C.
Filed: November 28, 2000) Confirmation No. 8658
For: METHODS, SYSTEMS, AND)
ARTICLES OF MANUFACTURE)
FOR EVALUATING BIOLOGICAL)
DATA)

Mail Stop Amendment
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Sir:

RESPONSE

Applicants now respond to the Office Action mailed December 17, 2004 (December Action). Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and withdrawal of all outstanding rejections. The due date for responding has been extended by the Petition for a Three Month Extension of Time and the requisite extension fee filed herewith.

